



Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
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Examining Group 2625  
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Naoki KUWATA et al.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116(b)**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Final Office Action dated July 31, 2006. A response to this Final Office Action was due on October 31, 2006. Accordingly, Applicants are concurrently submitting a request for a one-month extension of the period for response. Please amend this application as follows:

The Amendments to the Claims made herein are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Applicants' Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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